

SENATOR SMITH: You don't think I can mediate, do you?

SENATOR NELSON: If that is a need and practice. I do have to take one concern, I don't know really...

SENATOR SMITH: Wait a minute, wait a minute, Senator Nelson. Just tell me whether or not you think that you could be willing to sit down and try to work it out with Senator Schellpeper and come up with a bill?

SENATOR NELSON: I would hope to bring about the best bill.

SENATOR SMITH: Would you be willing to bracket this bill?

SENATOR NELSON: Not very long, though, because we are running on two days or three days, Senator.

SENATOR SMITH: I agree. Then I guess my next question, and I don't know if this is appropriate or not would be to ask the Clerk and the Speaker of the House if we could do that.

SPEAKER BARRETT: What was the request again?

SENATOR SMITH: The request is, and I have the support of both parties, Senator Schellpeper would be willing to bracket LB 520, which is not up but it is coming up near, right shortly after 357, as well as Senator Nelson saying she would be willing to one more time bracket LB 357 and we would sit down and try to see if we can amend together the two bills to come up with the best bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT: With no motion before the body, I will ignore it at this point.

SENATOR SMITH: You will ignore it, okay, I will put a motion up there, okay.

SPEAKER BARRETT: I would also proceed to the next speaker. This may solve the problem, Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: All right, okay. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Schellpeper, yours if the next light.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and members. If